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## Unemployment insurance claims for the week ending October 25, 2003

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There was an increase in the number of regular unemployment insurance claims filed in Indiana during the week ending October 25, according to the Department of Workforce Development.

A total of 57,881 unemployment claims were filed during the week. This was up 539 from the preceding week. In the same week one year ago, 57,503 unemployment claims were filed.

Initial UI claims totaled 5,618 an increase of 6 over the preceding week's total. Layoffs were reported in one heating and cooling company during the week.

Continued UI claims were up to 51,588. The remainder of total unemployment claims were filed by federal civilian employees and ex-military personnel.

### UI Benefit STATS

Regular state & federal benefits paid	\$11,949,253
EUC Benefits Paid	\$2,870,145
Regular benefits paid year to date	\$645,434,074
Trust fund balance	\$826,537,050

### Unemployment Insurance Trends

